Melvin Sheppard, Being Beaten, Grabs Guy Haskins Around Neck and Throws Him.

FRIENDS GET INTO THE FRAY

Police Rush In and Thus Avert Serious Trouble-Race Given

Sporting Letters.

Dispatch will gladly master in these columns may question regarding sporting matters. Communications on sporting subjects will also be printed, and comments will be made. Address Sporting Editor, Times-Dispatch.

Yale defeated Harvard 12 EDITOR.

Sporting Editor, Times-Dispatch:
Sir,—Please tell me through y
query column, the name of the gre
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Sporting Editor Times-Dispatch:

SPORTING NOTES.

SPORT IN LOUDOUN.

Members of Middlesex and Londoun Hunt Clubs Have Fine Chase.

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Valentine Still an Amateur,
NEW YORK, January 24.—lioward Valentine, the ex-champion half-miller, is still an fact, everything that is connected with the one to be remembered. It shall be still an Metropolitan Registration to run against amateur athletes if a some sit. The Metropolitan Registration of the B. Bartholomew A. C. rooms to consider, for the third time, the charges brough against the New York A. C. man by Al Coperation and Mal Halpin, in which he was an exted of having unlawfully hid up 370, the supplus of a fund of 3300 raised to pay the expenses of the Merculy Foot loam to the Caledonian games at Montroal, Can. on Cabor Day of 1005. No new oridence was introduced, Copeland falling to show up to grow the charges and the many of the mean of the many of the cases involving Ray bwry. Harry Hillman and Valentine is no fet. The National Registration Committee a going to take a hand in the matter. A latter from John J. Dixen chairman of the minutes of the mealings at which the sharpers against the three athletes had been heard by figurated to him.

Tennis Champion



COLUMBIA REGRETS

Augusta Writer Says That Jay Will Be Sadly Missed by Them.

Cincinnati will have seventeen delegates in the American Bowling Congress.

Life American Bowling Congress.

Harry Hillman, American champion hurdler, and Melvin Sheppard, American champion, def-aied in the Control of the Sheppard, American with the Soloman, of Buffalo, here to-night in the Control of the United Spanish Westerday, which will be held at the Twenty-second Regiment Armory, New York, on Saturday evening, February 23.

Cobb is not the only player who refused to sign with Detroit. First-Baseman Ressinant yesterday returned his contract unsigned as companied by a letter asking for a substantial increase in stairy before he would put his signature to it.

Forrest B. Smithson, Multinoman Club-strake Athlete and one of the best hurdlers in the country, will not join fortunes with the Irish-American Athlete Club, of New York, but instead will return to Portland, Gre, before March 1.

SPORT IN LOUDOUN. in a family; this, too, without suggestion of a lavish display of money.

The idea is simplicity itself. On the demise of any person the fact is Hunt Clubs Have Fine Chase.

[Special to the Times-Dispatch.]

[LEESBURG, VA., January 24.—The
English hounds of the Middlesex Hunt
Club were afield to-day at Sycilia
Store, six miles from the kennols. The
field was led by Mr. Higginson, the
master, members of the Middlesex and
Loudoun Hunt Clubs following. The
course was over high and difficult
jumps, the riders taking them with ease
on excellent mounta The pack found
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Riggs, of Atlanta, Has Signed Contract, and Is Ready

VALENTINE HORSES AAE ALL RULED OUT

Recent Performances of Youthful Causes Entire String to Be Barred.

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M'CARTHY WINS THE PRIZE

Man Who Captured Southern Handicap Here Victor at Pinchurst.
PINEHURST, N. C., January 24.—The preliminary handicap in the first annual midwinter handicap trap shooting tournament to-day winessed some remarkable shooting, when the stiff breeze, which handicapped the shooters is considered, a close race for honors resulting.

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George S. McCarty, of Philadelphia,
winner of the Southern hand cap at
Richmond last May, captured the prize,
with a score of 91, shooting from the
scratch or twenty-yard limit mark.
Second in line was scorest at free yards,
the New Jersey State champion (nine)
teen yards, with 87; George L. Lyontien yards, with 87; George L. Lyonof Durham, N. C. (scratch), winner of
the preliminary of the grand American handicap last June, was third, with
83. David A. Leahy, of Brooklyn (seventeen yards), made 82 and Dr. D. L.
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PULL UP ON THEM

Virginia Brevities

BLACKSTONE, VA.—Miss Frances Baxter
Epes, the seventeen-year-old daughter of the
late Congressman Sidney P. Epes, was successfully operated on for appendicitis at the
home of her mother here on Saturday, the
toptration being performed by Dr. Peppell,
of Richmond, assisted by Drs. Mercer and
Allins, of this place.
RUSTBURG, VA.—Mr. William Andrew
Fisch attempted suicide by cutting his
throat on Tuesday. He will recover.

WAWTER LITERARY SOCIETY.

January 25th in the Annals of Sport.

1846-At New Orleans-William Jackson, the "American Deer," ran eleven miles in one hour and ten minutes.

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1851—Ed. Geers, veteran reineman, born near Lebanon, Tenn.

1884—At Brooklyn—Axel Paulsen won ten-mile skating race for amateur championship.

1892—At Leadville—Denver defeated Leadville in curling match for championship of Colorado.

1834—At Jacksonville, Florida—James J Corbett knocked out Charlie Mitchell in third round.

1901—At Chicago—Marvin Hart and John Wille fought six rounds to a draw.

draw.
1805—At Ormond Beach—H. L. Bowdon broke Vanderbilt's one-mile auto
record by covering the distance in 0:34 1-5.
1807—At New York—Nebrich defeated Sheppard in mile sprint.

FREIGHT CARS ROBB.D BY RAILROAD MEN

Prominent Employes of C. & O Arraigned in Charlottes-

Interesting Debate-Other Items From the Miller School.

NEGRO FATALLY BURNED.

Found by Fire So Badly Burned That [Special to the Times-Dispatch.]

[Special to the

Misses Virginia and Leona Vawter are guests of Professor Stonewall Tompkins. Mr. D. C. Carver, Jr., returned home from Pittsburg, Pa., this week.

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claiming that he held \$72,000 in bonds of the company upon which payment of the interest is in arrears.

The petitioner alleged that the plant is incomplete, and unless placed in the liands of receivers for completion, would not be finished, and that the bondholders, as well as the stockhold-cra vouid loss their entire investioned. The court instructs the receivers to complete and operate the plant need.

MISS WATKINS'S DISAPPEARANCE

DID NOT COME BACK

PASTORAL RELATION DISSOLVED

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
LEXINGTON, VA., January 34.—At a meeting of Lexington Presbytery, held at the Presbyterian Church, in Lexington, Tuesday last, the pastoral relation of Rev. James P. Smith, Jr., with Oxford Presbyterian Church, was disposed and he was dismissed to Attempt in Leasts Bullet in Portal in Locate Bullet in Portal in Inc. In

Mesers. Edward A. Moore, president and Daniel Weish, vice-president, were re-elected by the directors of the Peole's National Bank. The the other officers was postponed to the next meeting.

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RECEIVERS FOR SUFFOLK PLAYT.

Court Takes Charge of Gas Company Upon Camplaint of Creditors.

NORFOLK, VA., January 24.—Miss Charge Ddmund Waddill, of the United States Court, to-night named D. S. Mills and J. N. Burgess, of New York, died the patition against the company, Fred C. Marston, of New York, died the patition against the company, Fork, The bride, a pretty bruntet, is very popular. The groom is agent for the suffor Railway Company at Dry Fork.

SELLING TO MINORS

Petersburg Grand Jury Brings in True Bills Against Several Saloon Proprietors.

SELLING LIQUOR WITHOUT LICENSE

CHILD BURNED TO DEATH.

with Oxford Presbyterian Church, was dissolved and he was dismissed to Chesapeake Presbytery to become pastor of two churches near Herndon. Rev. J. E. Booker, of Lexington, moderated the meeting. Mr. Snilth will preach his last sermon at Oxford next Sunday.

At a meeting of the directors of the First Netional Bank of Lexington, Mr. B. E. Vaughan was elected prosident to succeed the late Joint T. Dunlop. Mr. Vaughan has been cashing the bullet. He was taken to the bank since its organization.

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1 have for saie as administratrix of Michael Long, decensed, a nice stock of liquors, beers, wines and bar fixtures. The store is well located on Main Street, Fredericksburg, Va. Good stand. Will rent to the buyer the store building containing eleven nice rooms, second and third stories used as living apartments. Good opportunity and worth considering. For more particulars, address ...

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Fredericksburg, Va.

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